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Agave decipiens (Centur tive succulent plant fo Per 100	r house use.
Agave sisalana. Per 100	\$4.75
Croton. Assorted varietic 2-in. pots	.\$12.50 per 100
Chinese Evergreen. A plant and ready seller	popular house Can be grown either in water
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Chinese Evergreen

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eithe	r in water or soil.	
No.	1—4-5 leaves, 3-5 in. tall.	
	100\$7.50	
No.	2-4-5 leaves, 5-7 in. tall.	
	100\$9.00	5
No.	36 leaves, 7-10 in. tall.	
	100\$12.50	
No.	4-—7 leaves, 10-12 in. tall.	
	100\$17.50	

Crassula arborescens.	
leaves. Per 100	\$6.25

FLORIDA PLANTS

Shipped direct from Florida, carefully and lightly packed. Please order in units of 50 or 100 plants.

Sansevieria Laurenti. Showies	st of all Sansevieria with golder
yellow stripe on edge of lo	eaves. 2- to 3-leaf plants, 12 to
14 inches high.	,
Per 100	\$6.25
Sansevieria Laurenti rosette	Miniature form of S. Laurenti

· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	\$8.00
Sansevieria subspicata. An attrac-	
tive flat growing Sansevieria. A	Peperom
very serviceable plant for garden	green,
planting or pots.	quires
Per 100 \$12.50	Por 10

Sansevieria zeylanica (Snake Plant). Thin, variegated, spikeshaped leaves. 4 to 5-leaf plants, 4 to 6 inches high. Per 100\$5.00

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Philodeno	lron). Sp	olendid plant
for house	use. Gro	ows in soil or
water.		
Per 100		\$5.00

Cactus—						F	er 100
Cereus triangularis	,	۰					.\$4.75
Cereus serpentinus							. 4.75
Euphorbia lactea .			٠				. 4.75
Stapelia gigantea .							

Euphorbia splendens (Crown of Thorns) An interesting plant resembling a cactus. Has pretty coral-red flowers almost continually. Likes sunny exposure.



Philodendron

Peperomia obtusifolia. Thick, dark
green, oval-shaped leaves; re-
quires very little water.
Per 100\$4.00

Pothos aureus Wilco			
variegated indoor	vine	for	pots
or wall pockets.			
Per 100 .		5	(0.50

Philod	dendr	on o	cordatum	. One	of
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Fall Bulb List for 1939 ALEC HENDERSON, Inc.

1303-05 West Randolph Street CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

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Narcissus Paper-White Grandiflora

The crop is especially good this season and we can promise delivery of round, solid bulbs, fully matured and already showing development of flower spike. Late planting will always give the best flowering results.

	Per 100	Per 1000
12 ctm. (1500 to cas	e) \$1.35	\$11.00
	2) 2.00	16.00
	e) 2.35	20.00
	2.80	25.00

Grand Soleil d'Or

Yellow Paper-White. We have provided for a good supply which we offer at reasonable prices. These are California grown bulbs that give good flowering results.

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					Per 100	Per 1000
14 ctn	1			,	.\$4.00	\$35.00
16 cti	n				. 4.50	40.00

Pearl Chips

Use in bowls for growing bulbs in water. White. 25 lbs., 90c; 50 lbs., \$1.50; 100 lbs., \$2.50. Colored. 25 lbs., 95c; 50 lbs., \$1.85; 100 lbs., \$3.00.

American-Grown Narcissus Bulbs

F	Per 100	Per 1000
Alba Plena Odorata. Old favorite double white for outdoor planting	\$4.50	\$40.00
Emperor. Large, rich yellow trumpet; late bloomer. Double Nose, No. 1	5.50	50.00
King Alfred. Most popular of all. Vigorous grower; large golden yellow		
trumpet	7.25 6.00	65.00 55.00
Laurens Koster. (Poetaz.) White perianth,	0.00	77.00
yellow cup	5.50	50.00
Minister Talma. Large golden yellow trumpet. Double Nose, No. 1	6.50	58.00
Poeticus Ornatus. Pure white with scarlet edged cup or eye. Double Nose, No. 1	4.50	40.00
Sir Watkin. Fine yellow with medium size trumpet. Double Nose, No. 1	4.75	42.00
Spring Glory. White petals, yellow trumpet	5.50	50.00
Victoria. White perianth, yellow trumpet. Double Nose, No. 1	5.50	50.00
Von Sion. Double yellow; very good for pots. Double Nose, No. 1	5.25	47.00



Narcissus, King Alfred

Mixed Narcissus. For retail sales, to be used for outdoor planting and naturalizing. Per 100, \$3.50; per 1000, \$30.00.

FORCING BULBS for 1939

DUTCH HYACINTHS for Pot Culture

One of the best pot plants to grow for spring sales—easy of culture, they can be brought into bloom when wanted, and find a ready sale. Prices are slightly higher than last season, quality said to be excellent.

SINGLE RED AND ROSE

Gertrude. Rosy pink; large, erect stalk. Lady Derby. Delicate pink: extra. La Victoire. Deep red, large bells. Marconi. Bright rose. Queen of the Pinks. Bright rosy pink.

SINGLE LIGHT AND DARK BLUE

2.70

2.70

2.65

25.00

25.00

24.00

Grand Maitre. Pure ultramarine-blue, shaded porcelain. King of the Blues. Rich dark blue; large bells. Queen of the Blues. Fine light blue; large bells. Bismarck. Light blue.

SINGLE YELLOW

City of Haarlem. Bright golden yellow. Yellow Hammer. Pure yellow.

SINGLE WHITE

L'Innocence. Pure white; large bells.

We can supply any of the preceding	varieties	in the	following
sizes:	Doz.	100	1000
First Size (18 to 19 ctm.)	\$1.10	\$8.25	\$75.00
Second Size (17 to 18 ctm.)	85	6.50	60.00
Forcing Size (16 to 17 ctm.)	75	5.50	50.00
Bedding Size (15 to 16 ctm.)	65	5.00	44.00

Dutch Miniature Hyacinths Useful for pans or growing for cut flowers. We can furnish the following varieties:

Gertrude. Pink. La Victoire. Red. Lady Derby. Pink.

Grand Maitre. Lavender-blue. L'Innocence. Pure white. Bismarck. Sky-blue.

Queen of the Blues. Light blue. 13 to 15 ctm. bulbs: 45c per doz.; \$3.30 per 100; \$30.00 per 1000.

FRENCH ROMAN HYACINTHS. White. 12 to 15 ctm. \$6.00 per 100; \$55.00 per 1000.

Single Early Tulip	S
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	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Belle Alliance. Scarlet	\$0.38	\$2.85	\$26.00
Couleur Cardinal. Crimson		3.00	27.00
Cramoisi Brilliant. Scarlet	36	2.70	25.00
Cullinan. Rose; very early	38	2.85	26.00
Flamingo. Bright pink	36	2.70	25.00
Fred Moore. Dark orange		2.70	25.00
General De Wet. Orange	42	3.20	29.00
bis. Bright carmine; best pink	36	2.70	25.00
Keizerskroon. Scarlet, bordered yellow	55	4.10	33.00
King of the Yellows. Yellow		2.70	25.00
, n , w ,	40	2.00	27.00

25.00 27.00 La Reine Maxima 26.00 Mon Tresor. Golden yellow 2.85 Prince of Austria. Orange-red 2.85 26.00 3.10 28.00 2.85 26.00 Rising Sun. Fine deep yellow 2.85 26.00 Rose La Reine. Dark pink 2.70 25.00 3.00 27.00 3.00 27.00 3.10 28.00

Double Early Tulips

White Hawk. White Yellow Prince

Red, Pink, White, Yellow Shades

Extra Fine Mixed

Couronne d'Or. Yellow	.40	3.00	27.00
Electra. Deep carmine	.38	2.85	26.00
El Toreador. Scarlet edged yellow	.42	3.10	28.00
Murillo. Blush-white	.38	2.85	26.00
Mr. Van Der Hoef. Golden yellow Murillo	.38	2.85	26.00
Orange Nassau. Deep orange-red	.42	3.20	29.00
Peachblossom. Dark pink; fine forcer	.36	2.70	25.00
Rubra Maxima. Dark red	.40	3.00	27.00
Schoonoord. White	.42	3.10	28.00
Tea Rose. Sulphur-yellow	.38	2.85	26.00
Tournesol. Red and yellow	.42	3.10	28.00
Vuurbaak. Scarlet	.46	3.50	32.00
Red, Pink, White, Yellow Shades	.38	2.85	26.00
Extra Fine Mixed	.35	2.65	24.00

Cottage Tulips

Albino. Pure white	.46	3.50	34.00
Bouton d'Or. Yellow	.35	2.65	24.00
Carrara. Pure white	.46	3.50	30.00
Dido. Orange-rose margined yellow	.36	2.70	25.00
Gesneriana Lutea. Yellow	.36	2.70	25.00
Gesneriana Spathulata. Crimson-scarlet	.38	2.85	26.00
Grenadier. Vermilion orange	.35	2.65	24.00
Inglescombe Pink	.35	2.65	24.00
Inglescombe Scarlet	.38	2.85	26.00
Inglescombe Yellow	.35	2.65	24.00
Isabella. Cream turning carmine	.40	3.00	27.00
Jeanne Desor. Orange yellow and scarlet	.60	4.50	
John Ruskin. Apricot-orange	.35	2.65	24.00
Moonlight. Pale yellow	.40	3.00	27.00
Mrs. Moon. Large yellow	.40	3.00	27.00
Picotee or "Maiden's Blush"	.35	2.65	24.00
Rosabella. Soft rose	.42	3.10	28.00
Extra Fine Mixed	.35	2.65	24.00

Darwin Tulips

The bulbs we list below are all top size, especially selected for florist use.

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Pe	r doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Afterglow. Bright orange	0.42	\$3.10	\$28.00
Baronne de la Tonnaye. Bright rose	.35	2.65	24.00
Bartigon. Scarlet	.35	2.65	24.00
Bleu Aimable. Best blue		2.70	25.00
	.36		
City of Haarlem. Cardinal red	.50	3.85	35.00
Clara Butt. Salmon pink	.35	2.65	24.00
Dream. Lilac/rose	.35	2.65	24.00
Europe. Salmon-scarlet	.36	2.70	25.00
Farncombe Sanders. Brilliant scarlet	.35	2.65	24.00
Faust. Dark purple	.42	3.20	29.00
Feu Brilliant. Brilliant scarlet	.46	3.50	31.00
Ciant Violet large flower	.50	3.85	35.00
Giant. Violet, large flower			
Glow. Vermilion-scarlet	.36	2.70	25.00
Gretchen. Silvery rose	.36	2.70	25.00
Herodiade. Rose pink	.35	2.65	24.00
Inglescombe Yellow	.35	2.65	24.00
Jubilee. Purplish violet	.52	4.00	
King George V. Carmine red	.50	3.85	35.00
King Harold. Purple red	.35	2.70	25.00
La Tulipe Noire. Deep maroon-black	.40	3.00	27.00
Lenotre. Beautiful clear rose; early	.35	2.65	24.00
Loveliness. Carmine-rose	.36	2.70	25.00
Madame Krelage. Lilac-rose	.35	2.65	24.00
Massachusetts. Vivid pink	.38	2.85	26.00
Matchless (Roi d'Islande). Violet-rose	.38	2.85	26.00
Melicette. Violet	.40	3.00	
Mrs. Potter Palmer. Glowing purple	.36	2.70	25.00
Painted Lady. Creamy white	.36	2.70	25.00
Philippe de Comines. Dark purple	.35	2.65	24.00
Dride of Hearless American Province	.35	2.65	
Pride of Haarlem. American Beauty color			24.00
Princess Elizabeth. Deep pink	.36	2.70	25.00
Prince of Wales. Bright red	.45	3.30	30.00
Prof. Rauwenhof. Cherry-rose	.35	2.65	24.00
Psyche. Soft rose	.38	2.85	26.00
Rev. H. Ewbank. Lilac-mauve	.35	2.65	24.00
Sieraad van Flora. Rosy red	.36	2.70	25.00
Sultan. Maroon-black	.35	2.65	24.00
The Bishop. Sky-blue	.67	5.00	
Valentine. Violet-blue	.45	3.25	
Venus. Beautiful rose	.45	3.25	•
			24.00
Victoire d'Oliviera. Carmine red	.35	2.65	24.00
White Queen. White	.35	2.65	24.00
Wm. Copland. Lavender-blue	.35	2.65	24.00
Wm. Pitt. Brilliant dark scarlet	.36	2.70	25.00
Yellow Giant. Golden yellow; large flower	.38	2.85	26.00
Zwanenburg. Pure white, black anthers	.46	3.50	32.00
Zulu. Rich velvety purple-black	.38	2.85	26.00
Red, Pink, Yellow Shades	.35	2.65	24.00
Mixed, All Colors	.35	2.50	23.00
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Second-Size Darwin Tulips

Suitable only for outdoor planting either in frames or open ground. They will give very satisfactory flowers. Priced to make a profitable item for retail sales.

Per 100 Per 1000

\$30.00 28.00 23.00

Per doz.

Baronne de la 1	onnaye Farncombe San	ders Princess Elizabeth
Bartigon	Inglescombe Y	ellow Rev. H. Ewbank
Bleu Aimable	Madame Krelas	ge Wm. Copland
Clara Butt	Pride of Haarle	em Wm. Pitt
	Per doz., 35c; per 100, \$2.5	0; per 1000, \$22.00.

Lily-Flowered Tulis

Lily-Flowered Tulip				City of Haarlem\$6	0.42	\$3.30	
ily-Flowered Tulip, Sirene. Fine satin rose, long stem.	.36	2.70	25.00	Zwanenburg Yellow Giant		3.10 2.50	

Breeder Tulips		Lilium Candidum—French Grown	
Bacchus. Plum color	\$27.00 29.00 25.00 26.00 29.00 30.00	Per Doz. Per 10 20 ctm. \$1.10 \$ 7.5 22 ctm. 1.25 8.0 24 ctm. 1.50 11.0 26 ctm. 1.75 14.0 28 ctm. 2.00 15.0	50 00 00 00
Godet Parfait. Dark violet Indian Chief. Copperared Jaune d'Oeuf. Rose-lilac La Singuliere. Silver-white Louis XIV. Purple flushed bronze Lucifer. Terra-cotta-orange Marie Louise. Salmon Orange Beauty (Prince of Orange). Orange-scarlet Panorama. Mahogany Velvet King. Violet Solution Yellow Perfection. Olive-yellow Job 6.50 3.50 3.50 3.75 3.75 3.75 3.75 3.75 3.75 3.75 3.75	30.00 32.00 25.00 32.00 30.00 34.00 27.00 28.00 27.00 27.00 25.00	Lilium Erabu The best variety for those who cannot control their night temperature. Per 100 Per Case 6 to 8 inch—400 bulbs to case	00 00 00 00
Parrot or "Show" Tulips		Per 100 Per Cas 6 to 8 inch—400 bulbs to case	ıse
Admiral of Constantinople. Red	r 1000 822.50 22.50 22.50	7 to 9 inch—300 bulbs to case	50 00
upright stem, bearing a large flower, beautifully fringed and the color of the old favorite pink Dar-	20.00	Lilium Harrisi 6 to 7 inch—335 bulbs to case Per 100 Per Ca \$ 8.00 \$21.0	
Second size bulbs .34 2.50 Markgraaf. Brown and yellow .34 2.50 Perfecta. Yellow and red .34 2.50 Sundew. Dark red .34 2.50	28.00 23.00 22.50 22.50 23.00 22.00	Regal Lilies Strongly scented white flower shading to yellow in throat. Per Doz. Per 100 Per 100 6 to 7 inch \$0.75 \$5.50 \$50.0	00
Crocus, Large Flowering		7 to 8 inch	00
Select Grade in Named Varieties		9 to 10 inch	00
Albion. Dark purple. Baron von Brunow. Dark purple. Cloth of Gold. Yellow and brown. Cloth of Silver. Silvery white. David Rizzio. Dark purple. Julia Culp. Purple edged white. Maximilian. Blue; extra. La Majesteuse. Striped. Mammoth Yellow. Pallas. Striped. Sir Walter Scott. Variegated. Mont Blanc. White. King of Whites.		Hardy Japanese Lilies These bulbs usually arrive in November. Per 100 Per Ca	
Any of the above: \$1.35 per 100; \$12.00 per 1000.		Lilium Auratum 8 to 9 inch—200 bulbs to case	
	1000 \$15.00 16.00	9 to 11 inch—125 bulbs to case	00
CROCUS, MIXED GRADE. White, Blue and Purple, Striped and Variegated, Yellow	10.00	Lilium Auratum Platyphyllum 8 to 9 inch—180 bulbs to case 14.00 20.0 9 to 11 inch—125 bulbs to case 18.00 20.0	00
White Callas		11 to 13 inch— 90 bulbs to case	
1½ to 1¾ inch \$ 9.00 1¾ inch and up 14.50 2 inch and up 20.00	r 1000 80.00 13 0.00 17 5.00	8 to 9 inch—200 bulbs to case	00
Yellow Callas (Elliottiana)		Lilium Henryi 8 to 9 inch—200 bulbs to case	
Ready in November.	er 100	Lilium Krameri. A rich rose pink Lily with a good size trumpet. 7 to 9 inch—300 bulbs to case	
1 3/4 to 2 inch	7.00	Lilium Tigrinum Splendens 8 to 9 inch—250 bulbs to case	00
	15.00 22.00	Lilium Tigrinum fl. pl. Double Tiger Lily. 6 to 8 inch—300 bulbs to case	00



Darwin Tulip, Afterglow



Lilium Auratum



Parrot Tulip, Fantasy











Giant Hybrid Amaryllis

These bulbs will make handsome pot plants for window display during the spring. Flowers are large in size, afford a wide range of colors and are borne on strong, vigorous stems. Light and red shades, mixed

vigorous stems. Digit and red shades, mixed.		
	Per doz.	Per 100
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2½ inch	. \$2.00	\$14.00
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2 ³ / ₄ inch	. 2.50	18.00
		20.00
3 inch	. 2./0	20.00
31/4 inch and up	3.50	25.00
		25.00
Solid Red	. 5.00	
White	. 5.00	

Allium

Neapolitanum. Pure white flower, with strong wiry stem\$2.75 Per 1000 \$25.00

Anemones Per 100	Per 1000
St. Brigid. Semi-double; fine range of colors\$2.75	\$25.00
His Excellency. Brilliant red	25.00
Blue Poppy. Bright blue 2.75	25.00

Begonias (Tuberous Rooted). Ready in January.
Single. Scarlet, white, crimson, pink, yellow, orange.
Double. Scarlet, white, crimson, pink, yellow, orange.
Write for prices

Caladiums (Fancy Leaved). Ready in January.

Rich and ornamental foliage plant for pot culture. Our collection consists of ten best and most highly colored varieties.

Named varietie	es. Mixed	colors	. Write	for	prices.	
					Per 100	Per 1000
CHIONODOXA Luciliae					\$1.40	\$12.50
					Per Doz.	Per 100
DIELYTRA, Bleeding Hearts.	Fine large	roots			\$2.50	\$20.00

Freesias

1 i c c si a s	
Purity Superflora. White. Per 10	0 Per 1000
1/2 to 5/8 inch\$0.75	\$ 6.50
Elder's Giant. Very large; late flowering. White.	
$\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ inch	10.00
Golden Daffodil. Clear yellow. One of the best of its color.	6.50
² / ₂ to ⁵ / ₈ inch	6.50
Mrs. Marc Peters. Rosy salmon, lower petals blotched orange and	
yellow. ½ to ½ inch 1.80	13.00
⁷ / ₈ to ³ / ₄ inch 2.00	
Miss Blanche Blue, Violet-blue.	-3.00
½ to ½ inch	12.00
Ruth Chatterton. Tyrian rosc.	
$\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ inch	22.00
Sunset. Very striking flower, flame-orange in color.	
$\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ inch	10.00
$\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ inch	15.00
White Chief. Large white.	. 5.50
$\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ inch	
Per Do	
FRITILLARIA Imperialis (Crown Imperial)\$3.50	\$25.00

Iris (Dutch) Per 100	Per 10 00
Imperator, Dark bluc.	
6 to 7 cm	\$10.00
7 to 8 cm	15.00
8 to 9 cm	22.00
Poggenbeeck, Dark blue.	
6 to 7 cm	12.00
7 to 8 cm	20.00
8 to 9 cm, 3.00	27.00
Wedgewood. Light bluc.	
8 to 9 cm 2.00	18.00
9 to 10 cm	30.00
10 cm. and up 5.00	45.00
Yellow Queen, Golden yellow.	
6 to 7 cm	20.00
2 25	30.00

Ixias

Fine for cutting and easily forced.	Per 100	Per 1000
Althea. Fine white	\$1.65	\$15.00
Crateroides major. Bright scarlet	1.65	15.00
Hogarth. Creamy yellow, purple eye	1.65	15.00
King of Yellows		15.00
Viridiflora. Green, black eye	1.65	15.00
Vulcan. Crimson, orange shaded	1.65	15.00

LEUCOCORYNE Ixioides	(Glory of the Sun)	Per Doz.	Per 100
	, wiry stems	\$0.85	\$5.50

Muscari (Grape Hyacinth)

Early Giant. An early blue; good for pots\$	er 100 Per 1000 \$ 1.75 \$15.0 0
Heavenly Blue	1.60 14.00
B'ue	1.50 12.00
White	1.80 16.00

Ornithogalum

Oxalis

					00 Per 1000
Grand Duchess.	Pink,	ycllow,	lavender	 \$2.2	5 \$20.00

Ranunculus

Tecolote Giants.	Beautiful	giant	double	and	semi-double	flowers	
in a wide range	of colors					\$2.00	\$18.00
Clarement Hybrid	ls					1.75	15.00

Roses BABY RAMBLER. XXX grade

Edith Cavell Erna Teschendo Greta Kluis Golden Salmon				Tric	dun	Orleanias	Per 106 \$30.00	-
	Delivery	in	November	and	early	December		

Scilla

Campanulata. Rose, white, blue	Per 1000
Campanulata. Rose, white, blue\$1.85	\$16.00
Nutans. Blue, white, rose	16.00
Siberica, Blue.	
8 cm. and up 2.25	20.00
7 to 8 cm 1.75	15.00
Siberica. White	16.00

Snowdrops

		Per 1000
Single Elwesi	. \$1.65	\$15.00
Double	. 2.25	20.00

Spirea

An old favorite pot plant for Easter and Mother's Day.	Per Doz.	Per100
Deutschland. White	.\$3.00	\$22.00
Peachblossom. Pink	. 2.65	20.00
Queen Alexandra. Pink	. 2.65	20.00
Rhineland. Red	. 3.00	22.00



Dutch Iris





Grape Hyacinths

ALEC HENDERSON, Inc.